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Fifty inches, 2.50 per line, 1c. per line.

#### CONLEY'S MUSIC

AND  
SEWING MACHINE  
ROOMS.

Having now become settled in my new room, I am now open for business. I have all the latest and best sewing machines, and all the latest and best music.

Pianos, Organs, Sewing Machines, Music Books, Etc., Etc.

A practical machinist always in attendance to receive repairs, which are promptly looked after.

JOHN CONLEY.

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#### HACVARD'S

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Breeding Ducks

For Sale.

Crossed Pekin and Aylesbury. Two dollars per pair.

R. H. JONES, Stirling.

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### AMONG OUR EXCHANGERS

When a man starts out to paint the town red he does not do it in water.

Adam was a brick because he was made of  
sun-dried, loam, we believe.

A crank like me, who did not think  
ways agree to you, but has opinions of  
his own.

"I'm not in politics this year, but I'll  
take a little more of the same, mairstrap  
going down into the gutter for a half  
smoked egg.

"Did they feed you well at your board-  
ing-house, Johnny?" asked his fond  
mother, as they sat down to eat the  
youth. "What kind of meals did  
they give you, dear?" "Oat meals."

"Father, did the boy really stand on  
the diamond against Green's hopeful progeny  
the other day." "No, George, he stood  
on three kings and he put the deck up his  
sleeve to use an occasion demanding."

"A graph in an article on 'The care  
of clothes.' 'An umbrella is said to  
be carried away from you.' It gener-  
ally is, innocent author; it generally is  
carried about two miles away.

—L. R. B.

Little Boy—"Please, I want the doctor to come and see mother." Servant—

"Doctor or what? do you come from?" Little Boy—"What! don't you know me? We've dealt with you. We had a baby from you!"

"No," decried a Mills Seminary pupil, "we don't see a man over here once a month, but there's a French girl just come who has a dear little mustache, and we are training her to smoke cigarettes and swear."

"What? Are they soldiers?" "They are men with arms," decried "And that's an encampment!" "It is a place where the soldiers go to practice using their arms, my child." "Oh, yes, now I see why they always have an encampment at a place where there are plenty of pretty girls."

"Mrs. Blank—" "Is your barber a musician?" "Yes, he is." "And that's a knowledge?" "Yes, it is." "Mrs. Blank—" "Then why do you call himself a 'professor' if he is not a violinist (or something)?" Mrs. Blank—"Oh, that is because he fiddles around a

**Husband**—It looks like rain, my dear. Don't you think we had better take an umbrella? **Wife**—Oh, no; we don't want to be bothered with it. **Husband**—You take great chances, my love. **Wife**—I know I do. If I were a man I would be a bold speculator. I would never be content like you to do an ordinary business.

beat, and you, to do an ordinary num-  
drum business that would just bring me  
living. [An hour later, the couple stand-  
ing in a narrow doorway with the rain  
beating fiercely in.] Wife—How do I  
look? Husband—Very much like a  
speculator, a sharer of my joys and sor-  
rows.

Respecting the fate of Prof. Dreikorn of Mannheim, who toward the end of August set out on a tour in Switzerland, and who soon afterward suddenly disappeared, nothing further could for some time be ascertained, in spite of an unintermittent search in the district where he was last seen. At length, however, the effort

made to trace him haveled to the discovery of his body in a deep and lonely valley of the western side of the Widdenstein. The deceased had started from Immenstadt for a pedestrian tour through the Westertal, and thence by way of Schrobenhausen to the Bregenz forest and Lindau. It is believed that while going over the pass of Gentschel he was overtaken by a heavy

branching off from the pass to Hohenzollern. He appears to have wandered in the direction of the Berggraben to the western side of the Widdersstein. The mountain here makes a precipitous descent, covered here and there with patches of grass and loose rock, and falling between six and seven hundred feet to the bottom of a narrow gorge over which

the bottom of a narrow gorge over which flows the Bergund torrent. On the edge of this abyss the hat and umbrella of the deceased professor were discovered. It is evident that while endeavoring in the thick mist to ascertain whether three was a pathway down the valley at this spot the unfortunate traveler missed his footing and after slipping down a short grassy slope fell over the precipice from a height of 1,000 feet.

of over six hundred feet into the chasm below, where his mutilated and decayed corpse was finally discovered. This is the second fatal accident which has occurred to pedestrian tourists in the same district during the summer of the present year.—[London Standard.

"What's a good remedy for cholera, doctor?" he asked of the family physician.

"Cleanliness and a proper regard for sanitary laws.

"How much is your charge?"

"About \$1.50."

He paid the money with the remark:

"You doctors will swindle a man out of

A little later he met another physician. "I say, doctor," he remarked, "I wish you would suggest a preventive of cholera. I'm getting a little nervous."

The physician, who knew his man, replied:

"Plenty of good whisky."

"Thank you, doctor, how much is it?"

“Ten dollars.”  
“Cheap enough.”

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**Not Heeding Advice.**

“I say, young man,” said a physician stopping him on the street, “you’re no well. Your face is flushed, and you are in a high fever. Let me feel your pulse.”

“I—I’m all right,” protested the

"No, you're not," said the physician positively. "Your pulse is over a hundred, and in less than two minutes you will be in a cold sweat. You take my advice and go home."

"I—I can't go home. I am resolved to ask old Jones for his daughter's hand to-night or perish miserably in the attempt."

"Wrong diagnosis," muttered the doctor to himself.

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**Pulled It Herself.**

"Will you pull the bell!" she asked of a man across the aisle as the car reached the corner.

"No, madam," he answered with

"Ah! but never mind! The strap is connected with two bells, and you might stop the wrong end of the car!"

And the look she turned upon him was full of triumph veneered with cayenne pepper.

Great is he who enjoys his earthenware as it were plate, and not less great is the man to whom all his plate is no more than earthenware.

I think it must somewhere be written, said Dickens, that the virtues of mothers shall, occasionally, be visited on their children, as well as the sins of the fathers.

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